

LETTERS FROM TWO STATES

New London County

LEDYARD

New Pastor Preaches at Congregational Church—Isaac Chapman's Death Regretted—Cargo Sent to Block Island.

Rev. Mr. Goodenough and family have moved into the parsonage and Rev. Mr. Goodenough occupied the pulpit Sunday morning, taking his text from St. John, first chapter, first verse. A good sized audience was present to hear him.

Theodore Taylor, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Taylor, who has been working several years as machinist in Springfield, Mass., has given up work there and will make his home with his parents.

Miss Mary Belle Gray of North Stonington is the guest of Miss Margaret Allen.

To Resume C. E. Meetings. During the past summer on account of the absence of a regular pastor there has been no Christian Endeavor meetings, but commencing Sunday evening they will be held regularly.

The Late Isaac Chapman.

The town of Ledyard lost an upright, honest citizen in the death of Isaac Chapman. Mr. Chapman belonged to the old school and his word was as good as a bond. Mr. Chapman loved his church and his home. He was very conscientious and accurate in all his dealings. In his possession was a copy of every town report published since Ledyard became a town; it was formerly known as North Groton. He was very successful in the school room and in all of his transactions.

Hilbert R. Norman of Norwich, assistant clerk of the superior court, was a business caller at the probate office Saturday.

Christmas Tree.

A Christmas tree with exercises by the pupils will be given in district No. 4 school house at 7 o'clock Sunday evening, on Friday evening, Dec. 18. William Reynolds, who recently died in Ohio, visited relatives and friends in this town for several summers past.

Birthday Surprise.

Troy L. Main was given a surprise by 24 young people Saturday evening at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John L. Main, on Rose Hill, Saturday being his 15th birthday. Master Main received several presents. Games were played, singing was enjoyed and refreshments were served. Guests from Ledyard, North Stonington and Preston were present.

Deer Damage Treated.

Wild deer are doing quite an amount of damage to peach trees owned by local growers.

Cargo for Block Island.

George W. Palmer went with a cargo of lumber, wood and apples to Block Island Friday. Mr. Palmer usually ships four or five cargoes to the island during the fall and early winter.

HAMBURG

Equal Franchise Meeting—New State Road Opened.

The church is being painted. Mr. and Mrs. George Adams visited Mrs. Adams' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Martin, the first of the week.

Teachers' Meeting.

Supervisor Shearer held a teachers' meeting in Sterling City last week Friday.

A party of hunters from New Haven was at Linden Lawn last week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lord went to Hartford last Wednesday for a few days.

Suffrage Rally.

The equal suffrage meeting held at Grange hall Wednesday evening, Dec. 9th, was well attended. Miss Emily Pierson of Groton, Miss Jewell Saunders of Chicago and Miss Alice Gregory of Norwalk were the speakers.

Grange Election.

Lynne Grange Fair association held the annual meeting Dec. 7 and elected the following officers: President, Newton Lee; vice president, Carlton Jewett; secretary, J. W. Stark; treasurer, Arthur Sweet.

Mrs. William Marvin was a Hartford visitor last week.

The new state road is open to the public. The bridge was completed the first of the week.

HALLVILLE

Mrs. Daniel Little of Hallville who has been seriously ill is improving slowly.

Business prospects here are somewhat brighter.

Mrs. Wolcott Main of Wequetequoque who has been visiting relatives here for a few days has returned home.

Miss Lena Conrad of this place and Miss Nettie Kroll of Shenfield were callers in New London Wednesday.

Mrs. Jennie Spaulding of Norwich called on relatives here Wednesday evening.

James Wood who has been seriously ill for the past five weeks is thought to be up and about.

LEONARD BRIDGE

The house and barn on the Simpson place, now owned by Mr. Filler, were burned to the ground Saturday night. Cause of the fire is unknown.

Otto A. Newton was in Chestnut Hill Wednesday.

The heavy ice storm did much damage in the way of breaking limbs and telephone wires in this section.

The Busy Bee society met with Mrs. Jewell O. Mead at the parsonage Thursday afternoon.

PRESTON

Robbins Family Moves to Norwich—Grange Elects Officers.

Clarence Robbins and family recently moved to Norwich.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Baptist church met with Mrs. Eckford Pendleton this week.

The ladies of the Congregational church met in the vestry Wednesday afternoon with a good number present.

Miss Ruth Richardson, who went of Backus hospital two weeks ago for treatment, is expected to be able to return home soon.

At the regular meeting of Preston City grange, No. 110, the following officers were elected: Master, Arthur E. Shedd; overseer, Allen B. Burdick; lecturer, Erva L. Barnes; steward, Charles A. Burdick; assistant steward, Frank R. Cray; chaplain, Rev. L. M. Kenaston; secretary, Henry Bates; treasurer, Nathan H. Hall; gatekeeper, Lynwood R. Cray; co-rex, Miss Margaret Willis; Pomona, Miss Helen K. Hall; Flora, Miss Ruth Richardson; lady assistant steward, Miss Estelle Bennett. John P. Hollowell was elected for one year on the executive committee to fill a vacancy; Elmer Miller was elected for three years.

Hetty Figs.

James B. Terry butchered two pigs weighing 420 and 385 pounds each.

UNCASVILLE

Methodist Society's Christmas Sale—Surprise Party for Frank Craig—Contract for New Shop Let.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist church held their annual Christmas sale in the chapel Monday and Tuesday afternoon and evening, with good financial results. Tuesday evening a suffragette speaker gave an interesting address. Several piano sections were given by local musicians.

The Good Cheer Sunshine Society was entertained at the home of Mrs. Ezra G. Hempstead on Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Hempstead served refreshments during the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hawley and child, who have been spending a while at the home of Mrs. George O. Allen of Gay Hill, were returned to their home in New Britain.

Ball Committee.

The meeting of the young men who will give a dance on New Year's eve will be held in Hickory's hall Tuesday evening, and the following appointed committee on arrangements: James Phillips and Edmond Killean, decorations; Joseph Hickey and Louis Peters, music; Clarence McArdle, floor manager.

Mother Goose Tableau.

The Junior Christian Endeavor Society gave an entertainment Thursday evening in the Quaker Hill church which consisted of a series of Mother Goose tableaux. Those taking part were Miss Agnes Hester, Miss Mildred Hester, Carolyn Robertson, Gladys Hayes, John Ashcraft, Everett Townsend, Willie Hester, Everett Bingham, Dorothy Bingham, Lillie Anderson, Norton Ashcraft, Harold Barlow, Mildred Hildebrand, Beatrice Richards, Elizabeth Gracie, Fred Simpson, Theodore Keen, Gladys Lehen, May Keen, Frank Cranston, Alice Alexander, Florence Ashcraft, Helen Thompson, Vocianna Hempstead. Mrs. John Ashcraft was accompanist. Several vocal selections were given.

Surprise Party.

About twenty young people gave Frank Craig a surprise party Thursday night. Among those present were Miss Ella Rosenlund, Miss Minnie Chapin, Miss Addie Johnson, Misses Carrie and Ethel Wood, Miss Lillian Sawyer, Miss Mildred Watt, Miss Grace Lathrop, Miss Charlotte Dorsey, Miss Agnes Hickey, Miss Eunice Leland, Herbert Rogers, Fred Church, Aubrey Miner, Joseph Hickey, E. G. Palmer, Robert T. Robinson, Austin, Walter Burgess, Louis L. Austin, Louis Peters, Thomas Tuckey and Charles Chapel. The evening was spent playing various games with selections on the piano by Joseph and Miss Agnes Hickey. Several songs by Miss Lillian Sawyer, accompanied by Miss Carrie Wood entertained the company. Refreshments were served during the evening.

Contract Let.

William Byrnes has let the contract for the work of putting up a building on the foundation which he had prepared some time ago. Mr. Byrnes will use the lower part for a barber shop.

Officers of the Sodality of the Blessed Virgin.

A meeting was held Sunday afternoon in St. John's Roman Catholic church in the members of the Sodality of the Blessed Virgin Mary and the following were elected officers for the ensuing year: President, Miss Cora St. Germain; secretary, Alexander Brouillard; treasurer, Miss Zella Brouillard; sacristan, Miss Mae Walsh. Plans were made to hold a fair and dance later in the season. After the meeting there was benediction.

Aid Society Entertained.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist church was entertained at the home of Mrs. Charles Fox, Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Fox, wife of Dr. M. E. Fox, was recently taken to St. Luke's hospital, Norwich, for an operation for appendicitis, is recovering.

NORTH STONINGTON

New Matron at Wheeler School—Murray D. Lincoln to Address Public Meetings.

Miss Della A. Wheeler spent Sunday in Andover, Mass., a guest of Miss Mary L. Smith, formerly a teacher in the Wheeler school.

Mrs. Glina P. Robinson of New York, recently appointed matron for the boarding department of the Wheeler school, arrived in town Wednesday to assume her duties.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford B. Caswell and daughter Lucie, of Mansfield, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Caswell.

Sewing Meeting.

The Ladies' Society of the Third Baptist church held a sewing meeting Thursday with Mrs. C. C. Fox. Rev. George H. Chambers will preach in Bradford, R. I. next Sunday.

Murray D. Lincoln to Speak.

The North Stonington Parents-Teachers' association is to hold a public meeting in the schoolhouse of district No. 6, next Tuesday evening. Murray D. Lincoln, agent of the New London County Improvement League will speak.

Miss Mary Belle Gray went to Ledyard Thursday, to visit Mrs. William C. Allen.

Mrs. Wallace A. Phillips of Bridgeport, formerly Miss Abby Babcock of this town is reported ill with pneumonia.

Rev. George H. Chambers attended the Baptist Ministers' conference at Groton, Monday.

CAMPBELL'S MILLS

Frank Zedron is visiting his parents in East Greenwich, R. I.

Mr. and Mrs. William J. Tanner are visiting their son in Boston.

Deacon J. C. Tanner is in very feeble health.

Eugene Parlo and Daniel Harrington of Westerly were week end visitors in this vicinity.



SALEM

New Britain Preacher at Congregational Church—Social—Plans for Christmas Tree.

Rev. W. H. Crawford of New Britain occupied the pulpit in the Congregational church Sunday morning and evening. In the morning he preached an effective sermon on Prayer. In the evening he gave an interesting and helpful Bible reading, using the first chapter of Ephesians as a basis of thought.

On account of the severity of the storm Monday morning, the minister and pupils of Bacon academy who were in town over Sunday made the trip to Colchester with difficulty.

Telephone wires were down and broken and trees uprooted by the ice and wind storm Monday. Wires were repaired by the S. N. E. T. company Wednesday.

Pupils of the Central school enjoyed a holiday last Friday, the teacher, Miss Cronin, taking the day to visit schools.

Charles Henry Bailey and daughter, Mrs. Flora Chappell, of Golden Spur, visited relatives in town last Friday.

Many at Social.

The Sunday school social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Clark last Thursday evening was well attended.

The Social club met in their hall last Thursday evening.

Frank E. Williams has returned after a brief visit with relatives in East Lyme.

Preparations are being made for a Christmas entertainment by the Congregational school.

PENDLETON HILL

Dr. Charles E. North Entertained at the Palmer Homestead.

Local friends of Mrs. George A. Wheeler of Stonington were very glad to hear of her return from New York, where she has been in a hospital for the past four weeks. Her husband, who has been with her, accompanied her home.

Charles E. North, of New York, who spoke in Norwich, Saturday afternoon, was a guest at the Palmer Homestead Saturday night, returning to the city Sunday morning.

Dr. North had returned Friday from Jacksonville, Fla., where he lectured at the American Pure Food Association, the meetings of which were held in that city.

Miss Sarah T. Palmer spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Thompson in Stonington the first of the week.

The recent storm was a severe one for this season of the year in this section.

A number from here attended the surprise party at Miss Fanny Avery's in North Stonington last Friday evening.

Dwight Miner is able to be around again, after having sprained his ankle recently.

E. G. Palmer was in Westerly Thursday.

LAUREL GLEN

Mrs. John Geer and Emma Main were in Westerly last Saturday.

Lucy Maxson of Ashaway has been the guest of Mrs. Birch part of this week.

Mr. Puttler lost his favorite horse Sally this week. Mr. Birch lost one which he recently purchased of Western parties.

Nathan Main was a business caller in Westerly Wednesday.

Miss Mary Perry saved five cords of wood for Mr. Hill Wednesday.

Mr. Rusich spent Wednesday night at his home here.

ASHWILLETT

Gilbert H. Miner of Jewett City called on his aunt, Mrs. Julia A. Crumb, last week.

Harry Gulle, who recently moved with his parents to Pequotanuck was a guest last week of his grandmother, Mrs. Sarah Barnes.

Louis Welton, who is employed in New York, spent three days at his home recently.

Mrs. Julia A. Crumb made catnap of the last of her tomatoes Tuesday.

Nathan N. Main has nearly finished enlarging the cellar under his house. Monday and Tuesday mornings the steps and walks were covered with ice, that melted during the forenoon.

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Satterlee-Kingore.

The Denver Post contained the following marriage announcement of local interest. Mr. Satterlee is a former resident of Coles Ferry and has spent several summers here, leaving here in November last for the Pacific coast.

Saturday, Nov. 21, at 5:30 p. m., in the presence of relatives only, Charlotte E. Kingore and J. Paul Satterlee were married at the home of M. H. Kingore, father of the bride, 21 St. Paul street, the Rev. Frost Craft officiating. Miss Kingore has just returned from tour of the world in company with Mr. and Mrs. Jotham Bixby and daughter of Los Angeles.

Mrs. Jotham Bixby is a popular society matron of Los Angeles and is a sister of the bride. Both are women of decided musical and social talent. Miss Kingore being an accomplished violinist, having studied a number of years in Brussels. She is also a talented linguist and as a former resident of Denver has a large circle of social and musical friends. During her more recent residence in Los Angeles she has been a member of the Dominant club and Woman's orchestra and played in many successful concerts.

Mr. Satterlee is a resident of Long Beach, Cal., being a member of an old New England family, and a graduate of Cornell university. He was connected for some years with several large engineering firms of New York and Philadelphia. He is at present interested in real estate in Southern California and Oregon.